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Second General Grant Civil War Cantonment

July 31 - August 1, 1971

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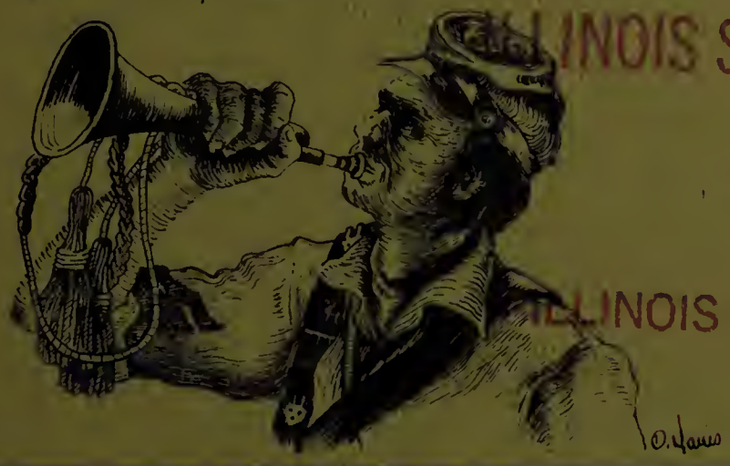

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"STEP INTO THE CIVIL WAR ERA"; CANNON AND MUSKET COMPETITION, CAVALRY RACES, PIE EATING AND GREASED PIG CONTEST, FIREWORKS, AND TOURS OF TYPICAL CAMP LIFE.

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2ND ANNUAL U. S. GRANT CIVIL WAR CANTONMENT

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Interpretation-Recreation Programming

Friday, July 30, 1971

3:00	**Camping Area & Registration Open**

Saturday, July 31, 1971

10:00 Area 3	**Musket and Loading Procedures and Inspection — All Regiments** (under direction of 114th Ill. Vol. Infantry Regiment)
11:00 - 11:45 Area 4	**Quarter Mile Cavalry Race** (Carroll County Sheriffs Mt. Patrol vs. 9th Cavalry Reg. Ill. Vol., Inc.)
12:30 - 1:30 Area 10	**Cannon Demonstration** (1st Regiment Illinois Vol. Light Art., Bat. A)
1:00 - 5:00 Areas 1, 3, 8	**Tours of Civil War Encampment and Displays**
	Blacksmith Demonstration (Don Smith, Smith Ornamental Iron, Chadwick, Ill.)
1:30 - 2:30 Area 7	**Lincoln-Douglas Debates "1858"** — (Franklin Park Players)
1:30 - 2:00 Area 10	**Sharpshooter Demonstration** (Combined Volunteers vs. 129th National Guard)
2:00 - 2:30 Area 4	**Marching Drill Demonstrations** (Civil War Regiments)
2:30 Area 7	**"The Noisey Minority" — Folk Songs of the Civil War Era** (St. Charles, Illinois)
2:30 - 3:30 Area 6	**Greased Pig Contest**
2:30 - 4:00 Area 10	**Cannon Competition**
3:00 - 3:30 Area 7	**Pie Eating Contest** (Wa-Tan-Ya of Savanna)
3:00 - 3:30 Area 5	**Saber Drill** (9th Cavalry Reg. Ill. Vol., Inc.)
3:45 - 4:30 Area 5	**Spectator & Participant Foot Races** (Savanna Lions Club) Register at Booth
4:30 - 5:00 Area 4	**Retreat Ceremony** (under direction of 114th Vol. Infantry)
5:30 - 6:30	**Parade in Downtown Savanna** (Savanna Chamber of Commerce)
7:00 - 8:30 Area 2	**Beef Dinner for Participants** (Carroll County Beef Producers)
8:30 - 11:00	**Steamboat Ball** — $3.00/ticket, purchase at information booth (leaves from Park boat ramp)
8:30 - 9:45 Area 9	**"Camptown Revue"** — Entertainment for the family (The Masquers, Clinton Comm. College)
10:00 Area 11	**Fireworks** (operated by members of the Savanna Fire Dept.)
11:00	**Regimental Campfires**

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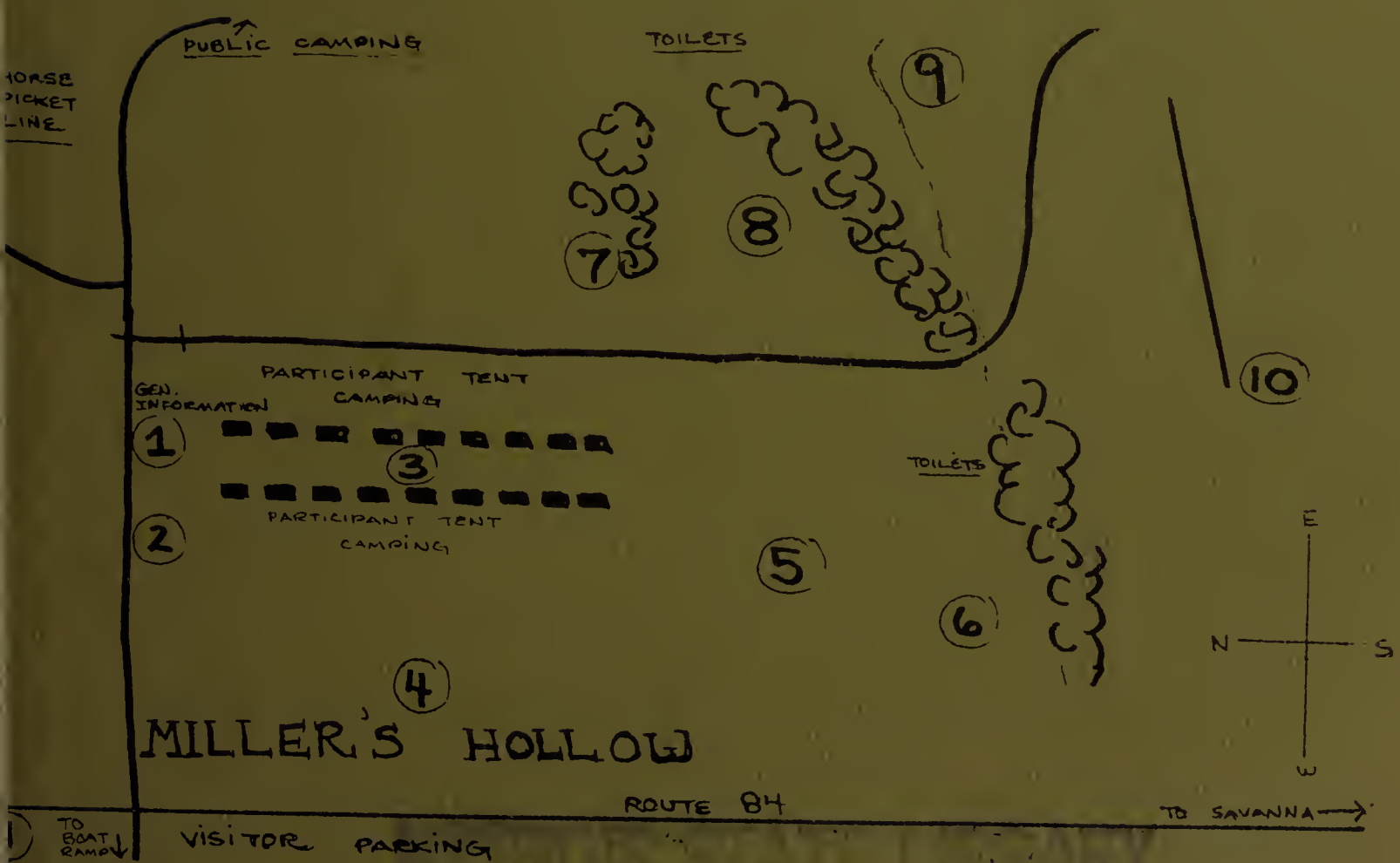
Sunday, August 1, 1971

9:00 Area 3	**Regimental Company Commanders Meeting**
10:00	**Regiments Form Parade to Firing Range**
10:10 - 10:30	**Parade** (Massed Regiments)
10:30 - 12:45 Area 10	**Rifled, Musket Competition** (114th Illinois Vol. conducting)
10:30 - 12:00 Area 7	**Lincoln-Douglas Debates "1858"** (Franklin Park Players)
10:30 - 2:00 Areas 1, 3, 8	**Tours of Civil War Encampment and Displays** **Blacksmith Demonstration** (Don Smith, Chadwick, Ill.) Area 3
12:45 - 1:15 Area 4	**Mounted Drills** (9th Cavalry Reg. Ill. Vol., Inc.)
1:00 - 2:00	**Costume Judging Thru-Out the Park** (Savanna Jr. Women's Club)
1:00 Area 7	**Pie Eating Contest** (Wa-Tan-Ya of Savanna)
1:15 - 2:15 Area 10	**Cannon & Gattling Demonstration**
1:30	**"The Noisey Minority" — Folk songs of the Civil War Era** (St. Charles, Ill.)
2:00	**Costume Winners Notified**
2:30 - 3:00 Area 10	**Awards Ceremony** — Presentation by Representative Kenneth W. Miller, 39th Representative District
3:30 - 5:00 Area 9	**"Camptown Revue"** — Entertainment for the family (The Masquers, Clinton Comm. College)



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Thanks To The Following Regiments For Participation, Projects, Displays and Traveling Many Miles:

1st Reg. Ill. Vol.
Light Art., Bat. A.
9th Ill. Cavalry
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19th Mich. Vol. Inf.
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